

MID-COLUMBIA – KLICKITAT COHO

STOCK STATUS

1992 STATUS	2002 STATUS
Depressed	Unknown

STOCK STATUS RATING DATA

There are no adequate abundance trend data for Klickitat coho, so their status is **Unknown** in 2002.

STOCK DEFINITION

Klickitat coho were identified as a stock based on their distinct spawning distribution and late run timing.

SPAWNING DISTRIBUTION: Most spawning takes place in the lower Klickitat River and in tributaries such as Dofner and Silva creeks.

SPAWNING TIMING: Spawning generally occurs from mid-October through February.

GENETIC ANALYSIS: No genetic analysis has been done on Klickitat coho.

STOCK ORIGIN

This is a **non-native** stock with **composite** production. Late coho smolts from Washougal Hatchery have been released in the Klickitat River. These plants began in 1988, in addition to releases from the existing Klickitat Hatchery coho program.